Docket No.: C1233.70001US01 Application No. 10/577,177 Amendment dated August 6, 2009

Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 6, 2009

REMARKS

The corrected section of the non-compliant amendment (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS) is submitted in its entirety. The corrections are as follows: 1. providing each claim with a proper status identifier; 2. amending claims 1 and 6 to match the previous version of the claims. Applicant's attorney believes that the corrected section is responsive to all points made in the Notice and apologizes for any inconvenience this has caused.

CONCLUSION

A Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. The Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at the telephone number listed below if this communication does not place the case in condition for allowance.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time. Applicant's attorney believes that no fees are due with this response. However, if there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith to our Deposit Account No. 23/2825, under Docket No. C1233.70001US01 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: August 5,2009

Respectfully submitted,

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